

Indian Institute of Information Technology Allahabad

Department of Management Studies

Devghat, Jhalwa, Prayagraj - 211015, Uttar Pradesh, India

Advertisement No.: IIITA/Project/CSTUP/6798/01/2026

Date: 05 October 2026

Advertisement for Junior Research Assistant

One contractual position under a CSTUP funded project

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for one temporary post of Junior Research Assistant (JRA) under the following research project at IIIT Allahabad.

Project title

AI-Enabled Smart Waste and Effluent Management in Prayagraj Industrial Clusters: Enhancing Environmental Safety and Workers' Quality of Work Life

Project No.: CST/Env./D-992 (PID-6798)

Funding Agency: Council of Science & Technology, Uttar Pradesh (CSTUP)

Principal Investigator: Dr. Pragya Singh, Associate Professor, Department of Management Studies

Co-Principal Investigator: Prof. S. Venkatesan

Position and fellowship

Junior Research Assistant (JRA): 01 position. Fellowship: Rs. 25,000/- per month for the first two years and Rs. 28,000/- per month for the third year, as applicable under the sanctioned project. The project duration is three years. Appointment will initially be for up to one year, extendable subject to satisfactory performance, availability of funds, continuation of the project and applicable CSTUP/Institute norms.

Eligibility

Essential qualifications: B.E/B.Tech (IT/CS/EC) or M.Sc. (CS/IT/EC) or M.Tech (IT/CS/EC) or an equivalent degree, with first class in the relevant graduate/postgraduate examination, as prescribed under CSTUP eligibility requirements. M.Tech. candidates are covered under the sanctioned JRA head, subject to applicable CSTUP eligibility requirements.

Age limit: 28 years as on 01 April 2026. Relaxation, if applicable, shall be strictly governed by CSTUP/Institute rules.

Residential eligibility: The applicant must be an Indian citizen and a resident of Uttar Pradesh. Valid residence/domicile proof is required.

Desirable Skills: Python programming and AI Techniques.

Application and interview details

Applications open: 06 October 2026

Last date for receipt of applications: 21 October 2026

Date of interview: To be communicated to shortlisted candidates

Interview time and reporting time: To be communicated to shortlisted candidates

Interview venue: Indian Institute of Information Technology Allahabad, Devghat, Jhalwa, Prayagraj - 211015, Uttar Pradesh, India

Interested candidates should submit the prescribed application form supplied with the project advertisement, together with an updated curriculum vitae and self-attested copies of supporting documents, by the above deadline to:

Dr. Pragya Singh

Principal Investigator and Associate Professor

Department of Management Studies

Indian Institute of Information Technology Allahabad

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Phone No.: +91 0532 292 2421

The envelope and e-mail subject should state: “Application for the post of JRA -IIITA/Project/CSTUP/6798/01/2026”.

Terms and conditions

1. Applicants are responsible for the authenticity of all information and documents submitted. Eligibility is subject to verification.
2. Mere fulfilment of the prescribed qualifications does not guarantee shortlisting. Shortlisting will be based on academic merit and project requirements.
3. Shortlisted candidates will be informed by e-mail. Applicants must provide a valid e-mail address and mobile number.
4. Candidates appearing for the interview must bring their updated curriculum vitae, original certificates and self-attested copies supporting age, qualifications, experience and Uttar Pradesh residency.
5. Employed candidates must produce a No Objection Certificate from their employer at the interview, wherever applicable.
6. No travelling allowance or daily allowance will be paid for attending the interview.
7. The appointment is purely temporary, contractual and project-based. Extension is subject to performance, availability of funds, project continuation and applicable rules, and shall not extend beyond the sanctioned project period.
8. The selected candidate will work under the supervision of the Principal Investigator/Co-Principal Investigator and may be required to undertake field visits and collect data in industrial clusters and other relevant locations.
9. The Institute/Principal Investigator reserves the right not to fill the position or to modify the selection process in accordance with competent authority/CSTUP rules.

Dr. Pragya Singh

Principal Investigator

Associate Professor, Department of Management Studies

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Annexure 1 Application Form

Project No.: CST/Env./D-992 (PID-6798)

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Department: Management Studies

Post: Junior Research Assistant (JRA)

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Field	Details
Name in capital letters	_____
Gender	_____
Marital status	_____
Date of birth	_____
Age as on 01 April 2026	_____
Father's / husband's name	_____
Present / contact address	_____
Permanent address	_____
Mobile number	_____
E-mail	_____
Nationality	_____
Category if applicable	_____
Uttar Pradesh domicile / residence certificate number	_____
GATE / NET if applicable	_____

Additional application details**GATE / NET details if applicable**

Branch	Year	Valid up to	Percentile / Score	All India Rank

Educational qualifications

Qualification	Discipline	Board / Institute / University	Year	% / CGPA	Division
10th					
12th					
Diploma if any					
B.E. / B.Tech.					
M.E. / M.Tech. / M.Sc.					
Other relevant PG					
Other					

Enclosures

16. Valid Uttar Pradesh domicile/residence certificate.
17. Statement of purpose describing interest and proposed contribution to the project.
18. Summary of relevant postgraduate thesis, if applicable.
19. Research publications, if any.
20. Experience details in chronological order, if any.
21. Any other relevant information.

Declaration

I hereby declare that all statements made in this application are true and complete and nothing has been concealed or distorted. I understand that if any information is found false, concealed or distorted at any stage, my candidature/engagement may be cancelled or terminated without notice. I agree to abide by the applicable rules of IIIT Allahabad and CSTUP.

Place: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Name: _____